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Dear Sir:

In response to the objections made due to informalities in the original drawings (or to corrections approved by the Examiner) in the Notice Regarding Drawings mailed February 6, 2006, enclosed are substitute (formal) drawings for the above-identified patent application. If the Draftsman has any question concerning these drawings, he or she is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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